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**Amendments to the Specification:**

*Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 1, at line 7 as shown below:*

This application is a continuation of U.S. patent application Serial No. 10/724,480, filed November 28, 2003, which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. patent application Serial No. 09/245,106, filed January 29, 1999, entitled "Method and Apparatus for Providing a Controlled Injection Rate and Injection Pressure in a Fuel Injector Assembly[.]" now abandoned. Applicant claims the benefit of that application.